Subject No. 236.
Bandh repairs.

Summary of discussion.—Patels and Shanbhogs should not be fined for the neglect of raiyats to repair the boundary marks of their fields. Amildars should be required to take due notice of the conduct of such raiyats.

Reply of Government.—The raiyats are primarily liable but village officials must be kept to their duty.

Subject No. 237.
Bandhs on Sarkar lands.

Summary of discussion.—The cost of repairing bandhs on Sarkar unoccupied lands should be borne by Government.

Reply of Government.—If the Deputy Commissioner thinks that the present grant for this purpose is not enough, he will submit a report for the consideration of Government.

Subject No. 238.
Honge leaves for manure.

Summary of discussion.—Patels and Shanbhogs should be authorized to distribute hongé leaves required by raiyats for manure as the present arrangement does not work well. Early orders for the grant of kharab lands on an assessment of 4 annas per acre for planting hongé trees are solicited.

Reply of Government.—Kharab lands required for planting hongé trees may be applied for on assessment which will always be very moderate for such lands.

Subject No. 239.
Tax on buildings of agriculturists.

Summary of discussion.—No tax should be levied on buildings occupied by persons engaged in agriculture.

Reply of Government.—The rules are clear upon the point. Their non-observance should be the subject of individual complaint to the local authority.

Subject No. 240.
Gomal lands.

Summary of discussion.—Deputy Commissioners should be authorized to dispose of applications for gomal lands required for cultivation and other purposes without waiting for Government sanction.

Reply of Government.—This is undesirable and is also against Rules.

Subject No. 241.
Repair and construction of chavadis.

Summary of discussion.—Provision should be made every year for the repair and construction of chavadis from the Local and District Funds according to the requirements of each Taluk instead of the villagers being required to attend to them.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

Subject No. 242.
Time for purchasers occupying Govt. lands.

Summary of discussion.—Purchasers of Government unoccupied lands should be permitted to take possession of them within one month from the date of sale. They have now to wait for three months.

Reply of Government.—The Deputy Commissioner will do everything possible to prevent unnecessary delay.

Subject No. 243.
Town Police for Mulbagal.

Summary of discussion.—A Town Police should be sanctioned for Mulbagal.

Reply of Government.—Under consideration in connection with the general scheme.

Subject No. 244.
Anglo-Vornacular School for Mulbagal.

Summary of discussion.—The present Kannada school at Mulbagal should be converted into an Anglo-Vernacular school. The Municipality is ready to pay its contribution.